



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of : Hironori Kobayashi)	CUSTOMER NO. 27,717
Title: PATTERN FORMING BODY)	
Serial No.: 10/817,458)	Examiner: John A. McPherson
Filing Date: April 2, 2004)	Group Art Unit: 1756
Attorney Docket No: TJK/462)	Confirmation No. 3198
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop: Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Official Action mailed February 22, 2007 in the captioned matter.

The initial three-month term for response expired May 22, 2007. The two-month extended date for response is July 22, 2007.

Attached herewith in duplicate is a two-month extension of term for response accompanied by a check in the amount of \$450.00 covering the cost of the extension. In the event any further fees are deemed necessary to be paid, the Commissioner is authorized to debit Deposit Account No. 19-1351.

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